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SUBJECT: REACTION TO CENTRAL DIRECTIVES ON PRODUCTION

1. BRITISH EMBOFF HAS TOLD US THAT A SENSITIVE SOURCE SAW A POSTER RECENTLY AT THE ANSHAN IRON AND STEEL WORKS ENTITLED "REASONS FOR THE SHORTFALL IN PRODUCTION" IN WHICH THE WRITERS SAY THE CENTER'S PLACING BLAME FOR THE SHORTFALL IN PRODUCTION ON THE WWORKERS IS UNFAIR. THE REAL BLAME, ACCORDING TO THE POSTER, SHOULD FALL ON TWO NAMED LEADING CADRE OF THE IRON AND STEEL WORKS. WRITERS WERE PRESUMABLY REACTING TO CRITICISM OF PRODUCTION SHORTFALLS IN STEEL BY RECENT CENTRAL DIRECTIVES.

2. ANOTHER BRITISH SOURCE SAW A POSTER IN SIAN RECENTLY LINKING CENTRAL DIRECTIVES 9, 13 AND 17 TOGETHER. CENTRAL DIRECTIVE 17 WAS SAID TO DEAL WITH THE GRASH REVOLUTION, PROMOTE PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN. THERE WAS ALSO A COMMENT ON THE DECLINE IN QUALITY OF THE FACTORY'S PRODUCTS. IT WAS UNCLEAR WHETHER OR NOT THE QUALITY PROBLEM WAS ADDRESSED IN CENTRAL DIRECTIVE 17 OR WAS A LOCAL FACTORY PROBLEM.
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